

## Message Text

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E.O. 11652: N/A  
TAGS: BBSR, HO  
SUBJ: WTDR/FTI: CIA. DE SACOS CENTROAMERICANA S.A.  
(REQUESTED AS: FABRICA DE SACOS DE C.A.)

REF: USDOC 07131

1. HONDURAS

OFFICE USE: 2. 215 3. N/A 4. 01

5. CIA DE SACOS CENTROAMERICANA S.A.

6. APARTADO POSTAL 136; CARRETERA VIEJA A LA LIMA

7. SAN PEDRO SULA, CORTES

8. CONTACT: JOESPH RAYMOND WERNER

9. TITLE: GENERAL MANAGER, OTHER OFFICIALS ARE: EFRAIN ARDON,  
CHIEF CLERK, ROLANDO MADRID, PRODUCTION MANAGER, GYLMA B. DE  
SARAVIA, ADMINISTRATIVE MANAGER.

10. PHONE: 521729 11. TELEX: 5516 HT

12. CABLE: SACOS  
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13. ESTABL: 1962 14. EMPL: 75 15. SIZE: LARGE

16. REPUTATION: Y-EXCELLENT 17. RPT. DATE: 05/78

OFFICE USE: 18. N/A 19. N/A 20. X 21. N/A 22. 034M

23A. 22110/034M MFR, DIST, EXP COTTON BEDSPREADS AND BED SETS.  
23B. 22992/034M MFR, DIST, EXP JUTE BAGGING  
23C. 22710/034M MFR, DIST, EXP WOVEN CARPETS AND RUGS.  
23D. 23930/034M MFR, DIST, EXP TEXTILE BAGS  
23F. 23940/034M MFR, DIST, EXP TARPAULINS AND OTHER COVERS.

24. FOREIGN SALES: GUATEMALA, NICARAGUA AND COSTA RICA.

25. FINANCIAL REFS: BANCO ATLANTIDA S.A. 3 AVE. 1 CALLE  
FRENTE PARQUE BARAHONA, SAN PEDRO SULA; BANK OF AMERICA N.T.  
S.A., 2 CALLE S.O. 3 AVE., SAN PEDRO SULA.

26. TRADE REFS: BROWN & BROWN, INC., P.O. DRAWER 269, 715  
LOEFFLER ST. CRICHTON STATION, MOBILE, ALABAMA 36601, THE  
FOSTER CO., INC., P.O. BOX 30100, 746 TCHOUPITOU LAS ST., NEW  
ORLEANS, LA. 70190; UNION SPECIAL MACHINE CO., 400 NO. FRANKLIN  
ST., CHICAGO, ILL. 60610.

27. FOREIGN FIRMS REPRESENTED: NONE

28. POST EVALUATION: THIS FIRM IS THE ONLY MANUFACTURER OF JUTE  
AND COTTON BAGS IN HONDURAS. THE FIRM HAS A BASIC CAPITAL OF  
\$250,000; 1977 SALES WERE ABOUT \$2.0 MILLION. ITS CENTER OF  
OPERATIONS, INCLUDING MANUFACTURING FACILITY, IS IN THE  
OUTSKIRTS OF SAN PEDRO SULA IN NORTHERN HONDURAS, COVERING THE  
ENTIRE COUNTRY FROM THIS POINT. THE FIRM'S MAJOR STOCKHOLDER  
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(99 PERCENT) IS BEMIS COMPANY, INC., 800-T NORTHSTAR CENTER,  
MINNEAPOLIS, MINNESOTA 55402. LOCAL CREDIT SOURCES REPORT  
EXCELLENT EXPERIENCE ON LOANS AND LETTERS OF CREDIT IN THE LOW  
SEVEN FIGURES; THE FIRM'S FINANCES APPEAR SOUND AND OBLIGATIONS  
ARE PROMPTLY MET. THE EMBASSY CONSIDERS COMPANY AN EXCELLENT  
TRADE CONTACT FOR U.S. FIRMS.

29. PREP: HARRIETTE CASTILLO, APPR: MARGARET KROMHOUT.  
BARTCH

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